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Applicants: Benny Bang-Andersen, et al.

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For: 4-(2-Phenoxyphenyl)-piperidine or -1,2,3,6-tetrahydropyridine derivatives as serotonin reuptake inhibitors.

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AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO MARCH 5, 2007 OFFICE ACTION

This Amendment is submitted in response to the March 5, 2007 Office Action issued in connection with the above-identified application. A response to the March 5, 2007 Office Action was due June 5, 2007. Applicants hereby request a three (3) month extension of time in which to submit a response to the March 5, 2007 Office Action. The fee for a three (3) month extension of time is \$1,020.00 and authorization is hereby given to charge the amount of such fee to Deposit Account No. 503201. With a three (3) month extension of time, the response is due September 5, 2007. Accordingly, this Amendment is being timely filed.

In response to the March 5, 2007 Office Action, please amend the subject application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begin on page 5 of this paper.

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